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In re the Application of: NAKAMURA, Yasushige et al.

Group Art Unit: 1756

Serial No.: 09/931,082

Examiner: RODEE, C.

Filed: August 17, 2001

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For. **COLOR IMAGING TONER, COLOR IMAGE FORMING METHOD AND
COLOR IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: June 16, 2003

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated January 27, 2003 for two months from April 27, 2003 to June 27, 2003.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$410.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

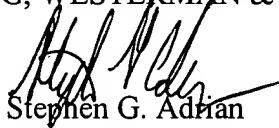
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